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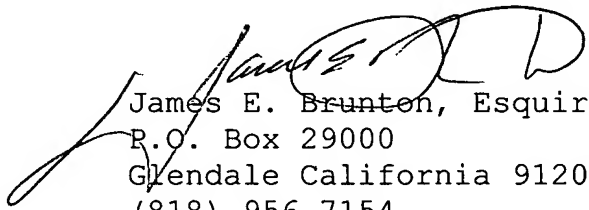
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U.S. Patent No. 2,750,066 issued A. J. Shekter; U. S. Patent No. 842,065 issued to M. B. Behrman; U. S. Patent No. 975,939 issued to W. M. Edwards; and U. S. Patent No. 1,600,758 issued to J. Goldstein are discussed in the application as filed.

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Respectfully submitted,

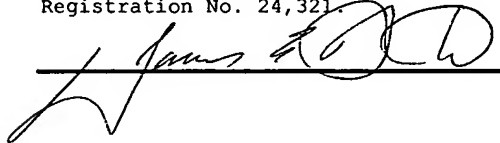


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